

REMARKS

Claims 1-11 are pending in this application. By this Amendment, claims 1, 2, and 8 are amended. No new matter is added. Reconsideration in view of the above amendments and the following remarks is respectfully requested.

Applicants gratefully acknowledge that the Quayle Action indicates that the application is in condition for allowance.

By this Amendment, the title of the invention is amended to comply with the Examiner's requirement of a title that is more clearly indicative of the invention to which the claims are directed.

The Quayle Action objects to the Abstract of the Disclosure because the second sentence is awkward. The Abstract has been amended as proposed by the Examiner. Applicants respectfully request that the Examiner withdraw the objection.

The Quayle Action objects to claims 1-11 because of informalities. Claims 1, 2 and 8 are amended to obviate the objections of claims 1-11. Applicants respectfully request that the Examiner withdraw the objections.

In view of the foregoing, it is respectfully submitted that this application is in condition for allowance. Favorable reconsideration and prompt allowance of claims 1-11 are earnestly solicited.

Should the Examiner believe that anything further would be desirable in order to place this application in even better condition for allowance, the Examiner is invited to contact the undersigned at the telephone number set forth below.

Respectfully submitted,



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